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First Named Applicant: McDaniel

Application No.: 09/939,067 (CONF 4231)

Filed: 8/25/2001

Title: Interruption handler-operating system dialog for
operating system handling of hardware
interruptions

Attorney Docket No.: BEA920010017US1

Group Art Unit:
4231

Examiner:
Donna K. Mason

OFFICIAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 5, 2004, please amend this application as follows.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		0	\$18	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		0	\$86	\$ 0.00

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of 3/5/2004 to and through , comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

one month (\$110.00) three months (\$950.00)
 two months (\$420.00) four months (\$1,480.00)

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT

\$0

Substitute drawing sheet attached.

No additional fee is required.

6-1-2004

date

Michael A. Dryja
Reg. No. 39662

I hereby certify that this Correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO, on June 1, 2004.

Michael A. Dryja

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